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MINUTES.

First Day—Morning Session.

The Sixth Annual Session of The North Carolina Convention of The Pentecostal Holiness Church met in Kinston, on Tuesday morning, Nov. 21, 1916, at 9 o'clock.

Convention was called to order by the Superintendent, Rev. A. H. Butler. The congregation sang No. 72, in Glory Songs, following which a Scripture lesson was read by Bro. Butler. Prayer was offered by Bro. G. F. Taylor, General Superintendent.

The roll of preachers and mission workers was called, and the following answered to their names:

C. W. Bass, T. M. Bizzell, W. G. Briley, F. M. Britton, A. H. Butler, J. G. Crocker, G. W. Dixon, F. W. Gammon, W. A. Gurgainus, S. C. Hodges, N. J. Medford, O. J. Owen, M. S. Paramore, P. F. Robinson, T. H. Rousseau, C. B. Strickland, G. F. Taylor, W. H. Turner, J. B. Williams, J. E. Elks, S. A. Fann, Jerome Hodges, D. J. Little, J. H. Mashburn, Mrs. Beadie Noble, Cas. Salmon, E. C. Gainey, R. D. Noble, Mrs. Ella C. Starling, Mrs. Leora Yelverton, F. A. Brooks.

The roll of churches was next called and the following delegates answered:

Antioch — W. N. Lee. *Bizzell's Grove*—L. B. Woodard, and Preston Little. *Duke* — S. A. Fann. *Falcon* — L. W. Autry. *Fayetteville* — O. J. Owen. *Goldsboro* — I. L. Parker and Mrs. Mollie Wilson. *Happy Home*—F. W. Gammon. *Hodges' Chapel* —Sarah McRoy. *James' Grove* — J. H. James. *Kinston* — R. D. Noble and E. L. Johnson. LaGrange — Mary Waters. *Lamb's Grove* — Maggie Faucett. *McColl* — P. B. Bolton. *Millenium* — H. T. Terry and J. L. Slade. *Mt. Carmel* — S. J. Butler. *Niagara* — Leora Yelverton. *Oak Ridge* — W. B. Godwin. *Parmele* — J. D. Rollins. *Rehoboth* — F. D. Hardee. *Roanoke* — N. J. Medford. *Rock Hill* — I. D. Seymour. *Scotland Neck* — J. B. Williams. *Sharon* — F. G. Honeycutt. *Shiloh* — C. W. Bass. *St. Stephens*—By letter. *Tarboro* — W. A. Gurgainus. *Woodard's Grove* — A. S. Lester.

The characters of the Superintendent, Assistant Supt., and Secretary were passed upon by the Convention.

On motion of G. F. Taylor the hours of business shall be from 8:30, a. m., to 11, and from 2 p. m. till 5.

Devotional Exercises, 11 a. m., and 7 p. m.

The following committees were elected:

On Devotional Exercises — A. H. Butler, S. A. Fann, Jerome Hodges.

On Ordination — P. F. Robinson, G. F. Taylor, C. B. Strickland.

On Licensing Preachers — T. M. Bizzell, F. M. Britton, N. J. Medford.

On Division of Labor — A. H. Butler, T. M. Bizzell, W. A. Gurgainus.

On Missions — W. H. Turner, I. D. Seymour, F. W. Gammon.

On Books and Periodicals — F. M. Britton, W. B. Godwin, J. B. Williams.

On Sunday Schools — G. F. Taylor, G. W. Dixon, W. A. Gurgainus.

On Resolutions — G. F. Taylor, T. H. Rousseau, C. B. Strickland.

On motion of Bro. Taylor, the Committee on Resolutions shall also include Finances in their report.

Reports from churches were called for and read, as follows:

Antioch — W. N. Lee. *Bizzell's Grove* — L. B. Woodard. *Falcon* — L. W. Autry. *Goldsboro* — I. L. Parker. *Happy Home* — F. W. Gammon. *Hodges' Chapel* — Sarah McRoy. *Holly Hill* — E. R. Mills. *James' Grove* — J. H. James.

It was announced that Bro. P. F. Robinson will preach at eleven o'clock.

Convention adjourned. Benediction by F. M. Britton.

First Day — Afternoon Session.

Convention met at the appointed time, and after singing No. 15, was led in prayer by Bro. S. A. Fann.

The minutes of the forenoon session were read and approved.

The roll of preachers and mission workers was again called, and the name of H. E. Oxendine was recorded.

The sum of forty dollars was raised to help pay off the indebtedness on the church at Duke.

The roll of churches was called again, and delegates answered as follows:

Clinton Mission — Mrs. Della Weeks. *Reelsboro* — L. C. Hunnings. *St. Matthew* — E. C. Gore.

Report from churches continued:

Clinton Mission — Mrs. Della Weeks. *Duke* — S. A. Fann. *Dunn* — S. A. Fann and G. F. Taylor. *Kinston* — R. D. Noble. *LaGrange* — Mary Waters. *Lamb's Grove* — Maggie Faucett.

McColl (S. C.) — P. B. Bolton. *Millennium* — H. T. Terry. *Mt. Carmel* — S. J. Butler. *Niagara* — Mrs. Leora Yelverton. *Oak Ridge* — W. B. Godwin. *Parmele* — J. D. Rollins. *Pink Hill* — A. H. Butler. *Reelsboro*—H. L. Hunnings. *Rehoboth*—F. D. Hardee. *Roanoke* — N. J. Medford. *Rock Hill* — I. D. Seymour. *Rocky Mount* — By letter. *Rosemary Mission* — W. A. Gurgainus. *Scotland Neck* — J. B. Williams. *Sharon* — F. G. Honeycutt. *Shelmerdine* — H. D. Fornes. *Shiloh* — C. W. Bass. *St. Luke* — H. E. Oxendine. *St. Matthew* — E. C. Gore. *St. Paul* — Mrs. Nan Polland. *St. Stephens* — By letter. *Tarboro* — W. A. Gurgainus.

On motion, the following were dropped from our roll: Ebenezer Mission, Dunn, Canaan and Pink Hill.

It was ordered that Bro. H. N. Bizzell shall be notified that we have abandoned the use of the church house at Dunn.

On motion, also, Canaan church house shall be sold by our State Superintendent, and the proceeds placed in the treasury.

The Superintendent was further anthorized to sell a part of the church lot at LaGrange, 60 by 75 ft., for $50.00, and use the money toward covering the house.

The committee on Devotional Exercises announced that Bro. F. W. Gammon will preach tonight at 7 o'clock.

Convention adjourned to meet at the appointed time tomorrow, and after singing the Doxology, Bro. Cas. Salmon pronounced the benediction.

Second Day — Morning Session.

Convention met in regular order, and after singing No. 124, a Scripture lesson was read from the 28th chapter of Matthew. Prayer was offered by Bro. Britton.

The roll of preachers was called, and the following , who had arrived since yesterday, answered:

Joseph Edwards, J. M. Howell, Benson Jones, M. J. Sterling, W. H. Wellons, H. W. Rhodes, Mrs. W. D. Shepard.

The roll of churches was again called, and the following delegates answered:

Goshen — E. N. Lindsay. *St. John* — N. C. Williams. *Bethlehem* — M. J. Sterling.

Minutes of last session were read and approved.

Reports from churches continued:

Bethany — M. J. Sterling. *Moore's Chapel*—C. B. Strickland. *Vaughan's Chapel* — J. G. Crocker. *Woodard's Grove* — A. S. Lester. *Jones' Grove* — Cas. Salmon. *Laurinburg* — E. C. Gainey and N. J. Medford. *Thunder Swamp* — W. S. Dail. *Fayetteville* — O. J. Owen. *Goshen* — E. N. Lindsay. *Norfolk Mission* — F. W. Gammon.

The names of S. D. Page, Willie Pope, and J. H. Sutton, who had come in since the roll-call, were here recorded.

New churches were called for, and, on motion, the following were received: Core Point, Oregon, Holland's Chapel. Kenly Mission was also received.

The report of the Official Board was then received, as follows:

REPORT OF OFFICIAL BOARD.

1. We find that J. B. Brantley is guilty of teaching erroneous doctrine, and we recommend that he be suspended from the ministry for one year.

2. We find further, That J. D. Woodard has refused to be governed by a Resolution found on page 15 of last year's minutes, which reads as follows: "That no evangelist shall conduct evangelistic services in any of our churches without the mutual consent of both pastor and people." It has been proven that he is guilty of so doing, and thereby brought division among the members. He has also made and circulated false reports on preachers in good standing. We recommend that he be suspended from the ministry for one year.

3. Sister Ella C. Starling, having been expelled from Bizzell's Grove Church, we investigated the charges and found that the church was justified in its action. Therefore, we recommend that she be suspended from the ministry for one year.

The Convention sustained the Official Board in the cases against J. B. Brantley and J. D. Woodard.

Mrs. Ella C. Starling's case was next read, but she appealed to the Convention, consequently a discussion of the charges was begun, but the hour for preaching had come, so the matter was laid over till the next session.

Committee on Devotional Exercises announced that Brother Taylor would preach.

Convention adjourned. Benediction by C. W. Bass.

Second Day — Afternoon Session.

Convention met at 2 p. m., and was opened by singing No. 15, after which Bro. P. F. Robinson led in prayer.

Minutes of the morning session were read and approved.

The names of Revs. W. W. Pugh and H. C. King, who had come in since roll-call, were enrolled.

The General Superintendent announced that Sister Dovie Dunn is transferred to this Convention.

Brother Britton offered a motion that the brethren preferring charges against Sister Ella Starling be granted time to formulate the charges, and report at a future time.

The passing of the character of preachers and mission workers was next taken up, the mission workers being taken first.

On motion, each one shall be given three minutes to make his report, and if no objections are raised, his character stands approved.

Mission Workers: F. A. Brooks, Mrs. Leora Yelverton, W. L. Woodard, S. M. Tucker, Mrs. W. D. Shepard, J. M. Sauls, George Parker, Mrs. Emma Parker, R. D. Noble, R. E. Lee, E. C. Gainey, Mrs. Ella C. Starling.

The Superintendent was instructed by the Convention to investigate the standing of J. M. Sauls.

On motion, Sister Ella Starling's character was passed with the understanding that the case be investigated by the Official Board, and the same reported to the Convention.

Licensed Preachers: J. E. Elks, S. A. Fann, Jerome Hodges, D. J. Little, J. H. Mashburn, Mrs. Beadie Noble, W. W. Pugh, H. W. Rhodes, C. H. Rouse, Cas. Salmon, C. A. Woodard.

Ordained Preachers: C. W. Bass, T. M. Bizzell, Amos Bradley, W. G. Briley, F. M. Britton, Mrs. S. J. Britton, A. H. Butler, J. G. Crocker, J. C. Daniels, G. W. Dixon, Joseph Edwards, F. W. Gammon, W. A. Gurgainus, S. C. Hodges, J. M. Howell, R. B. Jackson, Jesse James, Miss E. May Law, Benson Jones, H. C. King, J. O. Lehman, Mrs. Berta Maxwell, N. J. Medford, O. J. Owen.

No written report was brought in from: J. M. Sauls, S. M. Tucker, C. A. Woodard, C. H. Rouse, Mrs. Berta Maxwell.

It was announced that Bro. Bass will preach tonight.

On motion, Convention adjourned. Benediction by Bro. S. D. Page.

Third Day—Morning Session.

Convention met at 8:30 a. m., and sang No. 88. A Scripture lesson was read from the ninety-first Psalm by Bro. Butler, after which Bro. Page led in prayer.

Minutes of last session were read and corrected.

Passing of the preachers' character continued as follows:

S. D. Page, M. S. Paramore, Willie Pope, P. F. Robinson, T. H. Rousseau, T. J. Smith, M. J. Sterling, C. B. Strickland, J. H. Sutton, G. F. Taylor, W. H. Turner, Mrs. Mattie Virden, W. H. Wellons, J. B. Williams.

Bro. H. E. Oxendine having received a summons to court, was excused by the Convention.

A telegram was received, calling Mrs. Mollie Wilson home, on account of sickness. She was also excused.

Reports from committees were called for and submitted as follows:

REPORT ON LICENSING PREACHERS.

We recommend the following: W. B. Godwin, M. H. Howell, F. A. Brooks, R. P. Bland, J. D. Rollins.

T. M. Bizzell,
F. M. Britton,
N. J. Medford,
Committee.

On motion, all who were recommended were received.

REPORT ON ORDINATION.

We recommend that Brother S. A. Fann be ordained.

Respectfully submitted,

P. F. Robinson,
G. F. Taylor,
C. B. Strickland,
Committee.

Brother Fann was accepted by vote of Convention, and the ordination service followed.

Brother Taylor then read his annual mission report. (See Report elsewhere.)

REPORT ON MISSIONS.

We, your Committee on Missions, beg leave to submit the following report:

We are glad that the financial condition of the country, in general, is better this year than last. It is for this reason, possibly, that our report is better than in previous years, but we feel sure that we should still put forth greater efforts this coming year, than we have yet, especially when we take into consideration the needs of our missionaries, who have been, and are yet, in sore need; and also that others who are acceptable to the General Mission Board should be sent, if funds were available.

Therefore, we urge each pastor to see to it, that a regularly organized Missionary Society be insisted upon in each church, to hold meetings at least once a month, in which information regarding the mission field shall be brought before the people.

We also heartily recommend the decision of the Committee on Missions last year, that each member be urged to give at least one cent per day for foreign missions.

We also recommend that each church or mission point, have

a list of the several mission fields, and that the same be read every Sunday morning, and that special prayer be offered for the same and for all our missionaries, and the extension of the missionary work.

W. H. TURNER,
I. D. SEYMOUR,
F. W. GAMMON,
Committee.

On motion, the above report was adopted by the Convention.

A collection was then taken for Bro. Joel Rhodes, amounting to $48.87.

Brother Rhodes made a short talk, thanking the people for the offering, and soliciting their prayers.

It was announced that Brother Taylor would preach at 11 o'clock.

On motion, Convention adjourned. Benediction by C. B. Strickland.

Third Day—Afternoon Session.

Convention met at 2 p. m., and sang No. 15, after which Sister Beadie Noble led the congregation in prayer.

Bro. W. H. Wellons asked to be excused, which was granted.

Reports from committees were next called for, and brought, as follows:

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON SUNDAY SCHOOLS.

We, your Committee on Sunday Schools, beg to submit the following report:

We recognize the importance of Sunday school work among our members and congregations; and we desire to endorse and favor all efforts that tend toward improvements.

Therefore, we recommend that each pastor see that a properly organized Sunday school is in operation in all his churches, and that he give the superintendent his hearty encouragement in his work.

We beg to ask that each pupil of the Sabbath school recite a verse of Scripture each Sabbath when his name is called. We urge that each superintendent talk on the lesson after the teachers finish with their classes.

We recommend to each Sunday school the use of the Sunday

School Literature published by The Falcon Publishing Co., which is entirely in harmony with our teaching.

G. F. Taylor,
G. W. Dixon,
W. A. Gurgainus,
Committee.

The above report was adopted .

REPORT ON BOOKS AND PERIODICALS.

We, your Committee on Books and Periodicals, submit the following report:

The need of literature in harmony with our doctrines and the Bible, is greatly increased because of the fact that a vast amount of literature which is calculated to poison the minds of our people is being scattered over the land, and the zeal manifested by the propagators of false doctrines along this line should cause us to be more zealous.

Paul's advice, " Study to show thyself approved unto God, a workman that needeth not to be ashamed, rightly dividing the word of truth," 2 Tim. 2: 15, is timely.

Therefore, Resolved:

1st. That we read the Bible through, at least once every year, which can be done by reading three chapters every day, and five on Sunday.

2nd. That we be careful to keep all bad literature out of our homes.

3rd. That we do our best to extend the use of the Sunday School Literature and The Apostolic Evangel, published at Falcon.

4th. That as we are living in the last days, when the second coming of Jesus is ever imminent, we especially recommend the books of Bro. G. F. Taylor and Dr. Joseph A. Seiss on this all-important subject. We also recommend the books and booklets of Bros. King, Britton, James, Noble and Gammon. We further recommend that every preacher and member of our churches read our Discipline through once every three months.

F. M. Britton,
W. B. Godwin,
J. B. Williams,
Committee.

The above named report was accepted with the addition of Ralston's Elements of Divinity, which is particularly recommended for our young preachers. (This book can be had of The Southern Methodist Publishing House, Nashville, Tenn.)

REPORT ON RESOLUTIONS.

We recommend that the General Convention place in the Discipline the following:

1st. The organization of a church according to the rules of The Pentecostal Holiness Church, shall put said church in the Convention within whose boundaries it is organized. In case said church is outside the boundaries of any Convention, the General Superintendent shall say to which Convention it belongs.

2nd. That no revertible deeds be accepted.

3rd. That each local Convention elect a board of trustees every four years. To this board all churches organized from now on, shall be deeded. It shall be the duty of Chairman to investigate titles, to attend to making said deeds, and see that they are properly recorded. All such deeds shall be left in his hands.

4th. Any Convention may recognize certain places as mission points, and may send pastors to look after the same, but such points shall have no representation in the annual Convention.

5th. Lay members alone may act as delegates from churches to the annual Convention.

6th. No local church shall have over three deacons.

7th. That all mission workers, licensed and ordained preachers shall be members of the annual Convention only.

8th. When a preacher is dropped by the annual Convention, no local church shall receive him as a lay member without the consent of the Convention which turned him out.

9th. Local preachers shall have full authority of the ministry except the solemnization of matrimony.

10th. Pastors alone, excepting the Superintendent, shall have the right to receive members into organized churches.

11th. State Superintendents shall have authority to sit with all committees elected by the annual Convention.

12th. All charges against preachers, shall be in writing, and an exact copy of said charges presented to the offending party at least two weeks before the annual sitting of the Convention. Where the offence has been committed after this time the charges shall be preferred as soon as possible.

13th. No preacher shall be ordained who has not passed a prescribed course of study, said course to be prescribed by General Convention.

14th. Women shall be granted license and ordination.

15th. That we adopt a better financial system. Let the Discipline urge that a treasury be established at each local church, requesting all members to deposit their tithes therein.

The local Official Board shall determine the per cent of the tithing that shall go to the various causes. Public collections, missionary offerings, etc., shall be taken at proper times. The

Official Board shall have authority over all public collections. No evangelist shall take collections against the protest of the Official Board.

Immediately after the annual Convention, the State Official Board shall decide the amount necessary to support the State Superintendent, and shall call upon each local church to supply this amount. Local churches shall bear the railroad fare of the Superintendent when he visits them. The General Official Board shall, once a year, ascertain the amount necessary to support the General Superintendent, and shall call upon the different local Conventions to supply the same.

G. F. Taylor,
T. H. Rousseau,
C. B. Strickland,
Committee.

This report was adopted.

A collection was then taken for the State and General Superintendents amounting to $16.00, which was divided between them.

On motion, no evangelist shall conduct evangelistic services in any of our churches without the mutual consent of both pastor and people.

The following officers were elected for the ensuing year:

Superintendent — A. H. Butler.

Assistant Superintendent — J. M. Howell.

Secretary — C. B. Strickland.

On Official Board — T. H. Rousseau and J. B. Williams.

The election of delegates to the General Convention was next taken up, and the following chosen:

Clerical: C. B. Strickland, F. M. Britton, W. A. Gurgainus.

Lay Delegates: J. M. Weeks, W. R. Crow, I. D. Seymour.

The time for business was extended to finish the work of Convention.

On motion, the next annual Convention shall be held at Falcon, N. C., beginning on Tuesday after the third Sunday in November, 1917, at 9 a. m.

A rising vote of thanks was extended to the people of Kinston for the practical expression of their good-will in entertaining this Convention.

On motion, the Secretary shall have one thousand minutes printed and mail to the churches. He shall have ten dollars for his services.

The expenses of three delegates, who had to board at the hotel, amounting to $4.50, was raised by the Convention, and one dollar over, which was applied on the minute funds.

The Report on Division of Labor was next read and adopted. (See Report on Division of Labor.)

Convention adjourned after singing the Doxology.
Benediction by Brother Butler.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON DIVISION OF LABOR.

McColl, Laurinburg, Mt. Carmel, Fayetteville — N. J. Medford, pastor; M. J. Sterling, assistant pastor.

Bethlehem, Oak Ridge, Holland's Chapel — S. A. Fann, pastor; W. B. Godwin, assistant.

Falcon — T. H. Rousseau, pastor.

St. Stephen, Duke — Jerome Hodges, pastor.

St. Paul, Oregon, Rehoboth — G. W. Dixon, pastor.

Spring's Creek, Holly Hill, Core Point — S. C. Hodges, pastor; J. E. Elks, assistant.

Reelsboro — M. S. Paramore, pastor.
Hodges' Chapel, James' Grove, Parmele, Williamston Mission — P. F. Robinson, pastor; M. S. Paramore, assistant.

Antioch Mission — J. M. Howell, pastor.

Sharon, St. Luke — H. E. Oxendine, pastor.

Moore's Chapel, Rock Hill, Vaughan's Chapel, Shiloh — T. M. Bizzell, pastor, W. L. Woodard, assistant.

Scotland Neck, Millennium, Rocky Mount, Woodard's Grove, Shelmerdine, Roanoke, Happy Home — J. B. Williams, pastor; J. H. Mashburn, assistant.

Tarboro — W. A. Gurgainus, pastor.

Kinston — A. H. Butler, pastor.

Jones' Grove, Thunder Swamp, Goldsboro, LaGrange — C. W. Bass, pastor; J. M. Howell, assistant.

Lamb's Grove, Antioch, St. John — J. G. Crocker, pastor; D. J. Little, assistant.

Goshen, Bizzell's Grove, Kenly Mission, Niagara, Clinton Mission, St. Matthew — C. B. Strickland, pastor; W. H. Turner, assistant.

Local Evangelists: W. G. Briley, Mrs. S. J. Britton, R. P. Bland, F. A. Brooks, Mrs. Dovie Dunn, J. C. Daniels, Joseph Edwards, W. B. Godwin, E. C. Gainey, M. H. Howell, H. C. King, Miss E. May Law, R. E. Lee, Mrs. Berta Maxwell, R. D. Noble, Mrs. Beadie Noble, O. J. Owen, G. W. Parker, Mrs. Emma Parker, W. W. Pugh, Willie Pope, H. W. Rhodes, J. D. Rollins, C. H. Rouse, Cas. Salmon, J. M. Sauls, T. J. Smith, J. H. Sutton, Mrs. W. D. Shepherd, S. M. Tucker, Mrs. Mattie Virden, W. H. Wellons, C. A. Woodard, Mrs. Leora Yelverton.

General Evangelists: F. M. Britton, F. W. Gammon, R. B. Jackson, Jesse James, Benson Jones, S. D. Page, G. F. Taylor.

MISSION REPORT.

RECEIPTS.

Falcon	$254 22
Rock Hill	51 97
Convention Collection	48 87
Antioch	45 01
Parmele	40 27
Solomon Matthews	35 00
Bizzell's Grove	32 95
Kinston	30 44
Hodges' Chapel	26 99
Mrs. Wm. Jernigan	19 00
Goldsboro	18 30
James' Grove	16 10
St. Matthew	14 10
Fayetteville	14 00
Niagara	13 40
Reelsboro	13 35
McColl	12 05
St. John	10 98
Oak Ridge	10 60
W. H. Jenkins	10 00
W. A. Jones	10 00
Mt. Carmel	9 07
Sharon	9 00
St. Paul	9 00
Goshen	8 85
Martha E. Jenkins	5 00
W. G. Briley	5 00
Smithfield	2 50
Mary G. Brothers	2 50
Tarboro	2 00
W. B. Burnett	2 00
Pink Hill	1 00
Kansie Taylor	1 00
Mattie Sasser	1 00
Total	$785 52

Disbursements are made from the general treasury, and will, therefore, appear in the minutes of the General Convention of 1917.

G. F. Taylor,
General Treasurer.

TABLE NO. 1 — SITUATION AND MEMBERSHIP.

CHURCHES AND LOCATION.	No. Conversions.	No. Sanctifications	Number Pentecostal Baptisms.	No. Received Water Baptism.	No. Received in Church.	No. Members last year.	No. Members this year.	Increase.	Decrease.
1. Antioch — Four Oaks	1	2	....	....	3	17	19	2	..
2. Bethlehem — Stedman	2	1	....	....	....	....	....	..	..
3. Bizzell's Grove — Princeton	8	4	5	....	8	59	63	4	..
4. Clinton Mission — Clinton	2	..	1	....	....	....	....	..	..
5. Core Point — Washington	..	..	....	....	....	....	....	..	..
6. Duke — Duke	..	..	....	....	2	25	21	..	4
7. Falcon — Falcon	..	..	....	....	2	88	75	..	13
8. Fayetteville — Fayetteville	4	..	....	....	....	38	34	..	4
9. Goldsboro — Goldsboro	14	12	8	....	17	56	59	3	..
10. Goshen — Faison	2	2	1	....	2	57	54	..	3
11. Happy Home — Tyner	2	8	10	....	10	25	35	10	..
12. Hodges' Chapel — Chocowinity	3	3	....	....	3	79	79	..	..
13. Holland's Chapel — Dunn	..	..	....	....	....	....	14	..	..
14. Holly Hill — Vanceboro	2	2	....	....	....	30	29	..	1
15. James' Grove — Bethel	20	15	17	....	10	27	36	9	..
16. Jones' Grove — Mt. Olive	4	3	....	....	4	16	20	4	..
17. Kenly Mission — Kenly	..	..	....	....	....	....	....	..	..
18. Kinston — Kinston	8	1	....	....	....	68	62	..	6
19. LaGrange — LaGrange	..	..	....	....	....	....	....	..	..
20. Lamm's Grove — Lucama	8	6	10	....	7	21	21	..	..
21. Laurinburg — Laurinburg	12	6	4	....	5	15	15	..	..
22. McColl — McColl, S. C.	30	10	4	....	5	34	17	..	22
23. Millennium — Aulander	35	15	8	....	22	39	55	16	..
24. Moore's Chapel — Kenly	..	..	....	....	2	14	13	1	..
25. Mt. Carmel — Fayetteville	..	1	....	....	....	30	21	..	9
26. Niagara — Kenly	3	3	2	....	3	34	36	2	..
27. Oak Ridge — Wade	2	2	2	....	....	8	8	..	..
28. Oregon — South Creek	..	..	....	....	....	....	12	..	..
29. Parmele — Parmele, N. C.	5	1	....	....	3	37	39	2	..
30. Reelsboro — Reelsboro	2	..	....	....	....	9	7	..	2
31. Rehoboth — Robersonville	5	2	....	2	6	32	36	4	..
32. Roanoke — Hobgood	..	..	....	....	....	37	29	..	8
33. Rock Hill — Goldsboro	5	1	....	....	....	37	37	..	..
34. Rocky Mount — Rocky Mt.	1	..	....	....	1	4	1	..	3
35. Rosemary Mission — Rosemary	..	..	....	....	....	....	....	..	..
36. Scotland Neck — Scotland Neck	..	..	....	....	....	....	....	..	..
37. Sharon — Clinton	..	1	....	....	2	13	14	1	..
38. Shelmerdine — Grimesland	10	10	10	....	9	37	42	5	..
39. Shiloh — Wilson	..	..	....	....	....	7	7	..	..
40. St. Luke — Clinton	..	..	....	....	....	....	....	..	..
41. St. Matthew — Clinton	..	..	....	....	....	....	....	..	..
42. St. Paul — Greenville	..	..	....	....	....	16	14	..	2
43. St. Stephen — Fuquay Springs	1	..	....	....	....	11	11	..	..
44. St. John — Bentonville	..	..	....	....	....	25	23	..	2
45. Tarboro — Tarboro	6	6	6	6	6	30	33	3	..
46. Thunder Swamp — Mt. Olive	4	..	....	....	....	37	36	..	1
47. Vaughan's Chapel — Elm City	..	..	....	....	2	22	22	..	..
48. Woodard's Grove — Spring Hope	..	..	....	....	21	7	28	21	..

TABLE NO. 2 — SPIRITUAL (per centage table).

CHURCHES.	Wholly Sanctified.	Attend Sabbath School.	Attend Prayer Meeting.	Hold Family Worship.	Testify Anywhere.	Pray Anywhere.	Prohibitionists.
Antioch	75	50	50	90	90	75	100
Bethlehem	75	....	90	100	75	100	100
Bizzell's Grove	95	50	90	95	98	90	100
Clinton Mission	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
Duke	75	50	50	50	50	100	100
Falcon	75	75	50	50	50	75	100
Fayetteville	85	25	25	40	90	80	100
Goldsboro	90	75	50	....	100	90	100
Goshen	100	75	75	100	100	100	100
Happy Home	100	35	90	....	100	100	100
Hodges' Chapel	90	75	50	85	85	90	100
Holland's Chapel	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
Holly Hill	100	60	70	90	90	90	100
James' Grove	85	50	15	85	100	100	100
Jones' Grove	75	....	90	90	100	75	100
Kinston	80	60	95	75	95	100	100
LaGrange	100	....	....	....	100	100	100
McColl	80	50	20	60	90	90	100
Mt. Carmel	80	65	....	90	100	90	100
Millennium	90	90	90	70	95	100	100
Moore's Chapel	100	....	100	100	100	....	100
Lamm's Grove	100	50	75	50	95	95	100
Niagara	100	50	90	75	90	90	100
Oak Ridge	100	95	85	90	100	100	100
Oregon	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
Parmele	50	30	30	50	70	90	100
Reelsboro	100	57	80	100	100	100	100
Rehoboth	100	50	40	100	100	100	100
Roanoke	95	....	90	90	95	95	100
Rock Hill	90	95	90	75	100	100	100
Rocky Mount	88	....	50	88	88	100	100
Sharon	100	95	95	100	100	100	100
Shelmerdine	100	50	90	75	100	90	100
Shiloh	100	....	75	....	90	100	100
St. Paul	70	....	70	45	75	75	100
St.Stephen	100	....	75	75	100	100	100
St. John	95	50	....	75	80	100	100
Tarboro	100	90	100	100	100	100	100
Thunder Swamp	50	75	50	25	100	100	100
Vaughan's Chapel	100	....	....	30	80	100	100
Woodard's Grove	100	....	50	5	100	100	100

TABLE NO. 3 — SUNDAY SCHOOLS.

CHURCHES.	Teachers and Officers.	Scholars Enrolled.	Average Attendance.	Total last year.	Total this year.	Increase.	Decrease.	Cost of Literature.
Antioch	4	35	20	29	39	10	..	$6.00
Bizzell's Grove	5	88	50	53	93	40	..	13.29
Duke	4	52	30	61	56	..	5	12.00
Falcon	16	224	140	229	240	11	..	50.95
Fayetteville	4	73	30	133	79	..	54	11.53
Goldsboro	8	93	80	75	101	26	..	22.07
Goshen	7	65	33	....	72	..	..	13.56
Happy Home	6	65	35	35	71	36	..	10.00
Hodges' Chapel	8	119	79	122	127	5	..	26.65
Holly Hill	5	39	32	36	44	8	..	10.68
James Grove	3	35	19	40	38	..	2	7.00
Jones Grove	....	....	....	....	....	..	..	.....
Kinston	9	103	47	96	112	16	..	16.06
Lamm's Grove	5	25	50	53	30	..	23	10.05
Laurinburg	5	51	56	25	....	..	..	7.58
McColl	7	70	40	94	77	..	17	14.00
Millennium	5	70	50	74	75	1	..	7.99
Mt. Carmel	4	50	35	50	54	4	..	9.65
Niagara	4	15	10	18	19	1	..	9.07
Oak Ridge	5	57	35	62	62	..	..	10.40
Parmele	7	40	33	76	47	..	29	16.17
Reelsboro	6	38	27	26	42	16	..	10.95
Rehoboth	5	32	20	64	37	27	..	6.40
Rock Hill	4	42	30	....	46	..	..	9.00
Rocky Mount	....	....	....	....	....	..	..	.....
Sharon	12	118	50	129	130	1	..	3.00
Shelmerdine	6	60	40	41	66	25	..	12.07
Shiloh	....	....	....	....	....	..	..	.....
St. John	6	65	42	50	65	15	..	11.07
Tarboro	5	60	50	50	65	15	..	8.00
Thunder Swamp	8	75	75	101	83	..	18	13.00
Woodard's Grove	....	....	....	....	....	..	..	.....

TABLE NO. 4 — CHURCH PROPERTY AND MINISTERS.

CHURCHES.	No. Tabernacles.	Value of Tabernacles.	Indebtedness on Tabernacles.	No. Parsonages.	Value of Parsonages.	Indebtedness on Parsonages.	No. Licensed Ministers.	No. Ordained Ministers.
Antioch	..	$350	$...	..	$...	$...	....	....
Bethlehem	1	400	....	..	....	....	....	1
Bizzell's Grove	1	500	....	..	....	....	2	2
Clinton Mission	1	800	32	..	....	....	....	....
Duke	1	600	59	..	....	....	....	....
Falcon	..	....	....	..	....	....	4	11
Fayetteville	1	500	....	1	750	250	....	3
Goldsboro	1	2000	540	..	....	....	....	2
Goshen	1	500	....	..	....	....	....	1
Happy Home	1	200	....	..	....	....	....	....
Hodges Chapel	3	1800	....	..	....	....	1	3
Holly Hill	1	350	....	..	....	....	....	....
James' Grove	1	750	....	..	....	....	....	....
Jones' Grove	1	800	75	..	....	....	....	....
Kinston	1	2550	....	..	....	....	3	2
Lamm's Grove	1	500	....	..	....	....	....	....
Laurinburg	..	....	....	..	....	....	....	....
McColl	1	750	....	..	....	....	2	1
Millennium	1	600	....	..	....	....	....	....
Mt. Carmel	1	600	....	..	....	....	1	1
Niagara	1	400	....	..	....	....	1	
Oak Ridge	..	....	....	..	....	....	1	....
Oregon	..	....	....	..	....	....	....	....
Parmele	1	1000	....	1	800	330	....	1
Reelsboro	1	500	....	..	....	....	....	....
Rehoboth	1	300	....	..	....	....	....	....
Roanoke	..	....	....	..	....	....	....	1
Rock Hill	1	200	....	..	....	....	....	1
Rocky Mount	..	....	....	..	....	....	....	....
Sharon	1	500	....	..	....	....	....	....
Shelmerdine	1	250	....	..	....	....	....	....
St. Paul	1	400	....	..	....	....	1	....
St. Stephen	1	500	....	..	....	....	....	....
St. John	1	800	....	..	....	....	....	....
Tarboro	..	....	....	..	....	....	....	2
Thunder Swamp	1	1000	....	..	....	....	....	1
Vaughan's Chapel	1	200	....	..	....	....	....	....
Woodard's Grove	..	....	....	..	....	....	1	....

TABLE NO. 5.—FINANCIAL.

CHURCHES.	For Pastor.	For Evangelists.	For Foreign Missions.	For Home Missions.	Home Mission Relief Fund.	For Church Property.	For Sunday School Supplies.	For all other Purposes.	Total raised last year.	Total raised this year.	Increase.	Decrease.
Antioch	$69.46	$27.50	$33.44	$.....	$.....	$ 5.00	$6.00	$ 7.10	$122.64	$148.50	$25.86	$.....
Bethlehem	48.21	27.74	5.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	5.50	98.04	86.45	.....	11.59
Bizzell's Grove	137.51	53.08	63.04	53.31	42.10	70.00	13.29	16.80	286.63	444.13	157.50	.....
Clinton Mission	7.72	52.28	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Duke	54.10	36.02	.....	.....	.....	100.00	12.00	.....	233.08	103.15	.....	129.93
Falcon	82.25	56.21	254.22	20.92	.....	.....	50.95	131.10	521.06	595.56	74.50	.....
Fayetteville	106.17	36.96	11.89	10.00	.....	100.00	11.53	60.55	413.76	337.20	.....	76.56
Goldsboro	278.00	53.16	37.90	15.76	.....	177.00	30.79	108.56	583.55	624.05	40.30	.....
Goshen	106.09	17.50	8.85	.....	.....	6.40	13.56	.....	.....	152.40	.....	.....
Happy Home	10.00	10.60	.....	.....	.....	100.25	10.00	.....	.....	130.85	.....	.....
Hodges' Chapel	180.00	151.72	32.11	49.51	165.26	.....	26.65	18.95	573.70	620.14	46.44	.....
Holland's Chapel	11.20	61.30	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Holly Hill	44.40	6.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	10.68	7.55	.....	68.63	.....	.....
James' Grove	122.07	63.45	16.10	1.00	.....	53.00	7.00	3.00	177.72	265.62	.....	87.90
Jones' Grove	71.18	35.36	1.75	5.95	.....	75.65	.....	5.70	48.52	195.59	147.07	.....
Kinston	300.00	100.27	.....	.....	13.25	29.00	.....	87.52	526.50	567.07	40.57	.....
LaGrange	31.02	15.78	.....	.....	.....	18.25	.....	.....	.....	64.85	.....	.....
Lamb's Grove	52.02	50.91	.....	.....	.....	.....	10.05	33.51	188.33	146.49	.....	41.84
Laurinburg	96.90	31.95	.....	.....	.....	17.05	7.58	8.76	.....	162.24	.....	.....
McColl	126.09	242.66	13.05	.....	.....	.....	17.25	31.33	414.51	434.02	20.51	.....
Millennium	56.02	7.75	.....	26.42	.....	72.69	7.99	.....	226.01	219.91	.....	6.10
Moore's Chapel	40.37	50.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	90.37	.....	.....
Mt. Carmel	81.88	27.23	10.88	.....	.....	.....	9.65	8.50	196.60	147.79	.....	48.81
Niagara	82.25	39.27	14.20	41.62	26.58	2.05	9.07	9.06	190.54	284.05	33.51	.....
Oak Ridge	25.00	15.00	15.00	.....	.....	.....	11.00	100.00	.....	165.00	.....	.....
Oregon	.....	110.05	.....	.....	.....	108.00	30.00	40.00	.....	288.45	.....	.....
Parmele	200.77	75.07	40.27	112.52	.....	500.00	24.49	53.81	605.80	1010.73	404.93	.....
Reelsboro	55.10	46.37	4.00	4.00	2.58	5.00	10.95	3.18	112.85	126.18	13.33	.....
Rehoboth	67.34	24.80	.....	4.53	1.65	.....	6.40	4.10	141.20	108.82	.....	32.28
Roanoke	50.00	25.00	.....	.....	5.00	.....	.....	15.00	139.69	95.00	.....	64.69
Rock Hill	57.67	77.50	52.97	2.00	.....	.....	9.00	1.90	129.39	177.67	57.18	.....
Rocky Mount	73.34	42.03	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	144.85	115.37	.....	29.48
Sharon	66.00	40.00	9.00	12.50	.....	.....	8.00	.....	95.77	135.50	39.73	.....
Shelmerdine	45.68	43.20	.....	4.70	10.00	8.56	12.07	.....	113.46	124.01	10.55	.....
Shiloh	25.81	3.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	28.81	28.81	.....
St. Paul	20.00	9.00	1.90	.....	5.00	.....	.....	15.00	86.81	110.98	24.17	.....
St. Stephen	23.47	3.05	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	2.95	60.89	29.97	.....	31.42
St. John	82.15	18.74	7.43	4.33	.....	40.00	17.20	21.41	166.54	191.26	24.72	.....
Tarboro	133.36	154.85	.....	.....	.....	11.00	8.00	.....	256.05	307.21	56.16	.....
Thunder Swamp	150.00	75.00	23.00	25.00	15.00	75.00	13.00	2.00	425.02	378.00	.....	47.02
Vaughan's Chapel	77.76	38.16	.....	15.00	.....	.....	3.00	40.00	194.95	200.67	5.72	.....
Woodard's Grove	48.04	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	75.28	48.04	.....	27.24

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